

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20505

National Intelligence Officers

22 December 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, CIA Operations Center

FROM : [REDACTED]
Executive Officer, DCI/NI

SUBJECT : Expression of Appreciation for the Assistance
of [REDACTED]

1. With the advent of the new collection system, the National Intelligence staff had a clear need to be briefed on the system in a way that illuminated to the NIOs just how this system might serve them and what mechanisms are available to use it. After listening to the series of briefings given to the Agency I concluded that these briefings were not appropriate for the NIOs and asked [REDACTED] to arrange a short program that would meet their needs. This he did with great success on December 16th.

2. This memorandum is to express my high admiration for this very capable officer and my appreciation for his exertions on behalf of the National Intelligence staff. He is obviously one of those well-grounded, flexible officers that comprise the core strength of operations such as yours and to whom any number of us in the Intelligence Community look to when we have particularly compelling needs.

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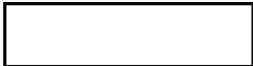
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 is our nominee to attend the Ballistic
Missile Staff Course from 01-03 March, class number 77-3.

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